3. Delhi .
4. Sauhteti
5. Jammu ,
6. Jaipur
7. Patna
8. Silchar

Offers of promotion to four empanelled Section Officers to fill up the vacancies on a regular basis at four regions have been made. Vacancies in two regions are held by S/Shri S. S. Sharma and R. P. Srivastava on ad-hoc basis.

(c) The promotion panel has since been operated.

2218. (Transferred to 22nd March, 1993)

एक किलोमीटर को परिधि में एक प्राइमरी स्कूल

2219. श्री ईश दत्त यादव : क्या मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार एक किलोमीटर की परिधि में एक प्राइमरी स्कूल खोलने का विचार रखती है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) इस संबंध में सरकार द्वारा क्या प्रयास किये गये हैं ?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय (शिक्षा विभाग और संस्कृति विभाग) में उपमंत्री (कुमारी शैलजा) में (क) से (ग) विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में बच्चों की प्राथमिक शिक्षा की पूर्वव्यापी पहुंच का लक्ष्य प्राप्त करने के लिये 300 आबादी (जनजातीय, पहाड़ी तथा रेगिस्तानी क्षेत्रों में 200 आबादी) वाली बस्तियों में एक कि०मी० दूरी के भीतर प्राथमिक स्कूल का प्रावधान, तथा उनसे छोटी बस्तियों में औपचारिक स्कूल प्रणाली से वंचित बच्चों के लिये अनौपचारिक शिक्षा केन्द्रों/स्वैच्छिक स्कूलों को खोलने की सिफारिश की गई है। केन्द्रीय सरकार प्राथमिक स्कूल नहीं खोलती है और उसके पास इस तरह का कोई प्रस्ताव भी नहीं है । इस प्रकार की सुविधाएं उपलब्ध कराने की जिम्मेदारी राज्य सरकारों/संघ शासित प्रशासनों की होती है । उनको सलाह दी गई है कि वे अपनी-अपनी आवश्यकताओं के अनुरूप रूपरेखा, कार्ययोजना तैयार करें ताकि स्कूल सुविधा से वंचित बस्तियों में यथाशीघ्र ये सुविधायें उपलब्ध कराई जा सकें और वार्षिक योजनाओं में उनके निमित्त निधियों की व्यवस्था की जा सके । अनौपचारिक शिक्षा केन्द्र खोलने की केन्द्रीय प्रायोजित योजना के तहत उन्हें वित्तीय सहायता भी दी जाती है ।

Development of vocational education in Bihar

2220. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of vocational institutes presently functioning in the State of Bihar;

(b) the number of students enrolled in such Institute;

(c) the amount of financial grants provided to the State of Bihar by the Central Government for vocational education and what were the actual girt:n't:s released to the States for this purpose during the last three financial years; and

(d) what action Government propose to take for the development of vocational education in the State of Bihav?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER. IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) to (d) Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Vocationalisalion of Secondary Education launched in February, 1988, financial assistance is

provided to State Governments/Union Territories for starting vocational courses: at the plus iv o stage in the school system.

On the basis of the proposals received from the State Government of Bihar, 453 vocational sections in 151 schools were approved uptil th? year 1990-91. As per the information available, the State Govemment has so far started 129 vocational sections in 43 schools. In accordance with the norms of the scheme, State Govern-ment|Union Territories are expected to enrol 25 students in each vocational section (classes XI and XII respectively).

The following grants were released to the Government of Bihar for this purpese:

Year	Grant released	No. of Vocational sections approved	Schools
1987-88	136.09	129	43
1988-89	..	..	..
1989-90	7.41	..	..
1990-91	558.61	324	108
1991-92	0.75	..	..

The details of grants released to the States/UTs dining the last 3 years are given in the enclosed statement. *{See* -below)

During the Eighth Plan the main em-phssis is on consolidation and strengthening of the existing programme so ar, to improve its quality in implementation. State Goverr.ments/'Uiiion Territories are required to make efforts to ensure that the programme is properly institutionalized.

Statement

Details of the funds released under (pntrally) Sponsored Scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary Edation uc to the StatedGoernments union territories in the years 1589-90, 1990 91 *ana* 1)01-92 *aree as follows:*

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Amount of Grant in (Lakhs) 1989-90	1990-91	1991-92
1		3	4	5
1	Andhra Pradesh	177.06	886.85	1010.235
2	Arunachal Pradesh	..	..	6.355
3	Assam	..	42.62	140.28
4	Bihar	7.41	558.611	0.75
5	Goa	64.59	80.630	49.65
6	Gujarat	1173.31	778.031	879.375

1	2	3	4	5
7	Haryana	129.87	184.83	155.00
8	Himachal Pradesh	98.06	177.385	56.858
9	Jammu & Kashmir	..	16.50	15.80
10	Karnataka	49.21	150.80	324.996
11	Kerala	223.44	353.23	346.899
12	Madhya Pradesh	1121.48	1221.42	3.00
13	Maharashtra	509.38	267.205	1230.95
14	Manipur	..	..	44.00
15	Meghalaya	..	20.75	..
16	Mizoram	..	16.68	..
17	Nagaland	..	14.84	..
18	Orissa	83.72	510.40	..
19	Punjab	50.25	371.71	222.25
20	Rajasthan	72.25	561.543	323.56
21	Sikkim	..	5.325	0.044
22	Tamil Nadu	358.11	279.558	727.90
23	Tripura	..	..	..
24	Uttar Pradesh	203.69	707.25	99.1475
25	West Bengal	..	..	..
	(B) *Union territories*			
1	Andaman & Nicobar	3.24	3.238	..
2	Chandigarh	4.270	12.34	20.77
3	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	..	..	..
4	Daman & Diu	..	..	..
5	Delhi	4.18	42.86	0.30
6	Lakhshdweep	..	..	..
7	Pondicherry	..	16.63	..